## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI EASTERN DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF:	) )
ELBERT A. WALTON, JR.	) CAUSE NUMBER 4:14 MC 353 CDF ) )

## **ORDER**

This Court was advised on June 13, 2014 of a disciplinary matter that arose in a proceeding before the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of Missouri involving Attorney Elbert A. Walton, Jr., a member of the bar of the Eastern District of Missouri. In the case of In Re: LaToya L. Steward (Cause # 11-46399-705), the Bankrutcpy Court imposed a suspension of Mr. Walton's privilege to practice law before that Court, and referred the matter to the District Court for investigation of Attorney Walton's conduct for possible disciplinary action pursuant to the District Court's Rules of Disciplinary Enforcement. That order also referred this matter as a complaint to the Missouri Office of Chief Disciplinary Counsel for investigation of Mr. Walton under the Missouri Supreme Court's Rules of Professional Conduct.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT a disciplinary action shall be commenced in the matter of Elbert A. Walton, Jr. as recommended by the United States Bankruptcy Court. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT proceedings in the District Court shall be stayed until such time as the Office of Chief Disciplinary Counsel has completed its investigation and presented its findings and

recommendation to the Missouri Supreme Court for final disciplinary action, if any. If disciplinary action is taken by the Missouri Supreme Court, this matter will resume in the District Court with an Order to Show Cause directing Mr. Walton to demonstrate why reciprocal discipline should not be imposed by the District Court.

**SO ORDERED** this 30th day of June, 2014.

Catherine D. Perry

Chief United States District Judge